

**STATE OF WISCONSIN  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
DIVISION OF TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT  
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS**

**BIDDERS MUST SUBMIT BIDDING PROPOSALS NO LATER THAN 9:00 A.M. LOCAL TIME, TUESDAY, April 12, 2005,** to the Division of Transportation Infrastructure Development for the highway work hereinafter described. Bidders must either submit electronic bids on the Internet through the Bid Express™ on-line bidding exchange or submit sealed bidding proposals on the day of the bid opening to Room 732 (7<sup>th</sup> Floor) of the Hill Farms State Transportation Building, 4802 Sheboygan Avenue, Madison, Wisconsin. The bidding proposals received will then be publicly opened and read aloud in Room 701 (located adjacent to Room 732) of the Hill Farms State Transportation Building.

Bidders wishing to submit their sealed bidding proposals by mail to the Bureau of Highway Construction may do so at their own risk. The correct mailing address is: Wisconsin Department of Transportation, Division of Transportation Infrastructure Development, Bureau of Highway Construction, Room 601, P.O. Box 7916, Madison, Wisconsin, 53707-7916. The correct street address for shipping is: Wisconsin Department of Transportation, Division of Transportation Infrastructure Development, Bureau of Highway Construction, Room 601, 4802 Sheboygan Avenue, Madison, Wisconsin, 53705. Bidders wishing to submit their sealed bidding proposals in person prior to the day of the bid opening shall submit them to the Bureau of Highway Construction in Room 601 of the Hill Farms State Transportation Building, 4802 Sheboygan Avenue, Madison, Wisconsin.

The Bureau of Highway Construction will not open and will return all sealed proposals that are received later than the time identified above.

**PROPOSAL GUARANTY.** With each sealed proposal, the bidder must include a properly executed bid bond of not less than five percent of the total bid or a cashier's check, certified check, bank's check, or postal money order in the amount designated on the proposal made payable to the Department. Certified checks shall be drawn on the account of the bidder submitting the proposal. The bidder may also satisfy the proposal guaranty requirements by having a properly executed annual bid bond of not less than five percent of the total bid(s) on file with the Department.

For electronic bids submitted on the Internet, the bidder must satisfy the proposal guaranty requirements by having a properly executed annual bid bond of not less than five percent of the total bid(s) on file with the Department.

**PLANS AND SAMPLE PROPOSALS.** The Department has plans and sample proposals for the work on file and available for office examination in the Bureau of Highway Construction in Madison and in its respective district offices in whose territory the work is located.

**Orders for plans and proposals must be submitted on the Proposal Request Form furnished by the Department.** Copies of this form may be obtained at the Bureau of Highway Construction in Madison, at <http://www.dot.wisconsin.gov/business/engrserv/construction.htm>, or by calling (608) 266-3496. A CD ROM containing Adobe Acrobat files (.pdf) of all of the plans and sample proposals in the letting will be issued rather than paper copies when a plan and/or sample proposal is ordered. The cost of the CD ROM is \$10.00. The CD ROM also contains an MS Word Print Request Form including instructions and costs for ordering paper copies of the plans and/or sample proposals from WisDOT's Print Services. Contractors may also opt to take the CD ROM to a private print shop or use their own equipment to print the plans and/or sample proposals. CD ROMS may be purchased in person Monday through Thursday 8 AM to 4 PM or Friday 8 AM to 12 PM at the Bureau of Highway Construction, Room 601, 4802 Sheboygan Avenue, Madison, Wisconsin. CD ROMS may also be ordered by submitting a completed Proposal Request Form by mail to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation, Division of Transportation Infrastructure Development, Bureau of Highway Construction, Room 601, P.O. Box 7916, Madison, Wisconsin, 53707-7916, by fax at (608) 266-8459, or by e-mail at [constplans.dtid@dot.state.wi.us](mailto:constplans.dtid@dot.state.wi.us). For CD ROMS ordered by mail, include a check or money order in the amount of \$10.00, which includes the sales tax, made payable to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation. For CD ROMS ordered by fax or by e-mail, the purchaser will be billed. The Department will not refund payments made for CD ROMS. Purchasers need not return CD ROMS to the Department.

**BIDDING PROPOSALS.** BIDDERS MUST REQUEST BIDDING PROPOSALS ON THE PROPOSAL REQUEST FORM FURNISHED BY THE DEPARTMENT. BIDDERS MUST SUBMIT THEIR REQUEST TO THE BUREAU OF HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION NO LATER THAN 11:45 A.M. OF THE LAST BUSINESS DAY PRECEDING THE LETTING. BIDDERS MAY OBTAIN THE PROPOSAL REQUEST FORM AT THE BUREAU OF HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION IN MADISON, AT <http://www.dot.wisconsin.gov/business/engrserv/construction.htm>, OR BY CALLING (608) 266-3496.

**HOURS OF LABOR AND MINIMUM WAGE RATES.** Pursuant to regulations provided by applicable federal and/or state laws, the hours of labor and minimum wage rates are set forth in the bidding proposals.

**AFFIRMATIVE ACTION.** The Department hereby notifies all bidders that for all proposals hereinafter described in this advertisement, the Department will affirmatively insure that disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and they will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin in consideration for an award.

**AFFIDAVIT OF NON-COLLUSION.** Each bidder shall file a sworn statement executed by or on behalf of the person, firm, association, or corporation submitting the bid, certifying that such person, firm, association, or corporation has not, either directly or indirectly, entered into any agreement, participated in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action, in restraint of free competitive bidding in connection with the submitted bid. If the bidder fails to submit this sworn statement with the bid, the bidding proposal is irregular, and the Department will reject it.

For electronic bids submitted on the Internet, the bidder must satisfy the affidavit of non-collusion requirements by properly completing and submitting their bid through the Bid Express™ on-line bidding exchange.

For sealed proposals, the bidder must satisfy the affidavit of non-collusion requirements by signing the cover of the bidding proposal and having it properly notarized.

**QUALIFICATIONS OF BIDDERS.** Unless otherwise specified in this advertisement, the Department will issue bidding proposals only to those who have established their qualifications for the work to be bid upon. Any prospective bidder who has not established their qualifications must file a sworn statement with the Department not less than five days prior to the time set for submitting bidding proposals on a form furnished by the Department. The Department will evaluate this statement and will issue bidding proposals as it deems warranted.

## SUMMARY SHEET

For your convenience, a summary sheet has been compiled to list the jobs under their classifications.

### **INCIDENTAL CONSTRUCTION (Prequalification Rating Applicable)**

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**41. USH 51 / STH 29 Corridor - Wausau, Smart WZ Deployment and Integration;** Marathon County; 1166-03-81, ITS 2005326; USH 51 / STH 29; 0.000 Miles; Installing a Smart Zone Deployment and Integration System Including Camera Assemblies, Portable Changeable Message Signs, Traffic Detection Assemblies, Communication Infrastructure, and Wisconsin State Patrol Operations Area.

Guaranty Required \$20,000.00

Estimate of Principal Items: Install Portable Changeable Message Sign, 12 Each; Furnish and Install Ethernet / TI Converter, 2 Each; Install Terminal Server, 8 Each; Install Type 5 Poles, 17 Each; Camera Cables, 50 LF; Conduit Metallic, 25 LF; Conduit Nonmetallic, 150 LF; Pull Boxes, 1 Each; Electrical Wire, 195 LF; Field System Integrator, 1 LS; ITS Documentation, 1 LS; Cable Microwave Detector, 640 LF; Install Mounted Controller Microwave Detector Assembly, 16 Each; Install Camera Assembly, 1 Each; Install Fiber Optic Cable Outdoor Plant 6-Ct, 65 LF; Communication System Testing, 1 LS; Install Solar Panel Assembly, 17 Each; Install Spread Spectrum Radio Assembly Shelf Mount, 29 Each; Install Spread Spectrum Radio Antenna Slave IS DB Gain, 35 Each; Install CCTV Pole Mounted Cabinet, 1 Each; Furnish and Install Computer Work Station, 1 LS; Pre-Installation Testing State Furnished Equipment, 1 LS.

DBE Goal: DISC

Contract Completion Date: September 29, 2005

For further information, contact: Tim Hanley, (715) 421-8050.

By order of:

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